

Society and Club

By GRACIA POPE WOOD.

One of the largest weddings of the year, and one of the most formal, will be that of Miss Ruth Foster and Mr. Walter Slagel, which takes place this evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Miss Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foster. More than a hundred



Miss Ruth Foster.

friends and relatives will be present at the ceremony. Miss Foster will have as her bridesmaids and matrons Miss Helen Neeser, Miss Mary Sampson, Mrs. Otto Malloney, of Tulsa,



Mr. Walter Slagel, of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mrs. Wallace Estell, of Shawnee, Okla.; Miss Florence Bowman, Miss Juliette Brown, of Chicago, Mrs. George Broderick, of Monroe, Mich., a sister to Miss Foster, will attend her a matron of honor. Mr. Slagel will

have as his best man, his brother-in-law, Mr. Wallace Estell, Jr. Miss Esther Moore, of Hutchinson, will play the wedding march and precede the ceremony. Mr. Frank Ripley will sing. Dr. Edmund J. Kulp will perform the ceremony.

Among the out-of-town guests to be present at the wedding are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hill, of Shawnee, Okla.; Mrs. Robert Hasty, of Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Meredith, of Waco, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simons, Miss Jennette Simons, Mr. Adolf Simons, of Lawrence; Mr. Wallace Estell, of Estell, Mo.

Mr. Slagel and his bride will make their home in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon will leave October 25 for Hawaii, where they will spend the winter. On their return to the United States they will make their home in California. In compliment to them Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Merriam entertained at dinner last evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merriam and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Merriam.

Mrs. Warrick Undergraff will be hostess at a tea next Thursday afternoon at the Country club in honor of Miss Edith Undergraff, who will be married this month to Mr. Edward Southward Stephenson. Miss Reia Undergraff of Columbus, O., will also be a guest of honor.

The Rotas club scholarship at Washburn has this year been awarded to a young man who has seen military service. It is the usual policy of the club to do for girls. But this year they felt there was more need for helping some young man who had laid aside personal ambitions and money making for two years to serve his country than for boosting a girl.

Maintaining a scholarship is not the only altruistic work of the club. They have recently contributed to the Provident association milk fund which will buy milk for babies of the city. They have voted to take up a collection of books for the children of the Knights and Ladies' home.

Next Tuesday evening the Rotas are going to have a picnic at the home of Mrs. Harry Foster, west of the city. It plans work out as they should. Topeka art lovers will have an opportunity of seeing some of the best work of present day artists right in Topeka some time in January. For the Topeka Art Guild and the art department at Washburn college have gone together and applied for membership in the American Federation of Art, which has headquarters in Washington, D. C. One of the chief advantages in belonging to this federation is that every year the art department is supplied with an exhibition of real art.

The place for the exhibit will be the second floor of Howell hall at Washburn. Dean Henry V. Stearns and Mrs. L. D. Whittemore of the college art department will do all they can to assure the success of the exhibition and to secure the co-operation of all college people.

About November 1 the Art Guild

plans to hold an exhibit of work of Kansas artists in Topeka. The place for this has not been decided upon.

Miss Elizabeth Fyffe will be the leading lady in the Washburn College Dramatic club play to be given October 25. Miss Fyffe is a senior in college and has been a member of the Dramatic club thru all of her college career. She is an attractive, vivacious young lady of a very youthful type—bobbed hair and all that. Moreover she is a particularly clever actress and will play naturally the role of Esther Granger, Simpson and American girl who goes to England and seeks to wed a title. But before the wedding comes off "The Man From Home," who is her guardian, comes over to see what his frivolous young charge is doing. And the surprising thing happens.



Miss Elizabeth Fyffe.

Esther discovers that the man who has been but a name to her for several years, is not old and fat and addicted to fireplaces and house slippers, but is young and interesting. It is so interesting even without titles, so it seems. Mr. Asa Crawford will be Daniel Vorhes Pike, "The Man From Home." Jack Saunders will take the part of the brother, Horace Granger Simpson.

Other parts will be played by Miss Maybelle Howard, Miss Georgia Neese, Mr. Sam Heller, Mr. Charles Calvert, Mr. Martin Potter, Mr. Peace Aul, Mr. Leslie Forney, Mr. Gerald Tasker. This same play was given by the Dramatic club several years ago and met with remarkable success. Sufficient times have elapsed for most people to forget and the college personnel has entirely changed. So Prof. E. D. Schoenberger feels justified in giving it again. It is a play particularly fitted to college talent.

The Dramatic club is one of the most interesting organizations in Washburn college and membership in it is a coveted honor. Those wishing to belong "try out" before the club members who criticize their ability and vote whether they shall be admitted or not. The annual fall tryout was held last Thursday evening.

The regular club meetings are almost as much fun as taking part in a play. There is something about the meetings that savors of the Bohemian literature and a real interest in plays makes the members feel that they are of the literary and dramatic elite of the school. Heated discussions often arise and interesting situations develop. Usually the first play of the season is given in December, but the club is having this year with a deal of enthusiasm and the first play will come earlier.

Miss Elizabeth Culver of 1213 Western avenue has accepted a position as assistant in the violin department in the Muller School of Music. Miss Culver has much ability as a violin player and in teaching work is particularly successful with children. Her work with the children of the city, Mr. Bunsen is head of the violin department.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graves, who start this evening for their home in Honolulu, will be guests of honor at a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Atwell. Those to be present are Mr. and Mrs. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ray, Mrs. S. V. Graves, of the afternoon; Miss Ida Umpley, Mrs. S. Umpley, Mrs. E. Z. Gibson, of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Atwell.

Miss Blanch Kountz, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kountz, of Jefferson street, and Mr. Lynn H. Bybee left this morning for Atchison, where they were married. Mr. Bybee is the son of Mrs. H. Bybee, of Clay street. Mr. and Mrs. Bybee will return the first of the week and go to their home which they have recently purchased at 2045 Lincoln street.

The musical program for the Vesper service Sunday night at the First Congregational church is as follows: Anthem, "The King of Love" (Shelley) by the choir. Solo, "Give Aims of the Gods" (Bontemps) by Miss Florence Rowe. Violin solo, by Mr. Herbert Gullid. Quartet, "Consider and Hear Me" (Elueger).

The Topeka Union of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions will hold the first quarterly meeting of the new missionary year which begins in October, at the West Side Christian church, Friday, October 10. The meeting will begin at 10:30 o'clock and continue until 11:30 in the afternoon. The women of the West Side church will serve luncheon at 12 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Anderson, pastor of the Central avenue Christian church, will give the address of the morning, and Mrs. W. N. Blair, of Korea, the message of the afternoon.

A wedding of interest to Topeka people is one that takes place in Bronson at 4 o'clock this afternoon, when Miss Helen Withers is married to Mr. Winslow Kingman. Miss Withers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Withers of Bronson. She graduated from the State Normal at Emporia in '15 and has taught since then at Valley Falls. It was here she met Mr. Kingman.

Mr. Kingman is the son of the late Lewis Kingman, who was chief engineer of the Mexican Central railway in Mexico City. Mr. Winslow Kingman graduated from the University of Kansas in '15. He was a student in the engineering department and is now employed in the division engineering office of the Santa Fe.

After the ceremony, Mr. Kingman and his bride will leave for California for a three weeks' stay. Afterward they will be at home in Topeka.

Notes and Personal Mention. Mrs. Hugh McVey and son Bruce, of Wichita, have arrived to spend the week-end in Topeka as the guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Lowry in Fillmore street.

News is received of the birth of a

daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wicks of New York City. She has been named Mary Elizabeth. Mrs. Wicks was formerly Miss Gladys Rogan of Topeka.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosner and son, Don-Noland, have gone to Kansas City, Mo., to make their home. Mr. Rosner has been made general sales manager of the Great Western Portland Cement company.

Mr. Safford Chamberlain, of Kansas City, will spend the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Chamberlain, in Clay street.

Mrs. Helen McMillan, of Okmulgee, Okla., Mrs. Clara Slocum and Miss Helen Slocum, of Pawnee, Okla., left today for their homes after a visit to Mrs. George W. Clark.

Mrs. C. B. Campbell and Mrs. Wayne Campbell, of Garden City, who are here to attend the missionary convention, are the guests of Mrs. J. R. Sloan.

Mrs. D. G. Baird, who left with Mr. Baird last week to spend several months in Wichita, was called home by an accident to her grandson, Gifford Baird, who will remain in Wichita until Thanksgiving.

Dr. Seth A. Hammel announces that he has resumed his practice. Office, 301-302 Myrtle street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Meredith, of Waco, Tex., who have come to attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Foster and Mr. Walter Slagel, will be guests at the home of Mrs. Meredith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. F. Hughes, in Potwin.

Mrs. Hazel Sutton, of Leavenworth, Wash., is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. C. W. Smith.

Mrs. E. Anderson, of El Paso, Tex., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johanson. Mrs. Anderson and her sister, Miss Thelma Johanson, have returned from a visit in Indianapolis and St. Louis.

Mrs. B. M. Davies is entertaining the following guests who are attending the missionary convention: Miss Ella M. Watson, Lincoln, Neb.; Mrs. O. H. Leonard, Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. Frank Ewan, of Winfield, Mrs. J. S. Reye, of University Park, Neb., and Mrs. A. W. Bradley, of Denver, Colo.

Miss Ethel Sloan has returned home after spending the summer with friends and relatives in St. Louis and other Illinois towns.

Miss Ruth Kingman went to Bronson this morning to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Winslow Kingman, to Miss Helen Withers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Byrne, who have been visiting Mrs. Byrne's brother, Mr. Lewis Van Dorp for the last two weeks, have returned to their home in Detroit.

Miss Edith Brooks, of Wichita, is the guest for the week-end of Miss M. Harberson.

Mrs. Bert Larimer, who is ill at St. Francis hospital, convalescing, is now able to receive callers. Mrs. Larimer will be in the hospital about two weeks longer.

Dr. C. B. Reed has gone to Chicago to attend the world series baseball games. He was met Friday by his son, Capt. Divers Reed, who will also spend several days in Chicago.

CLUB NOTES.

The Day Nursery club will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Winters at 1522 West Eighth street. Assisting will be Mrs. T. W. Bailey and Mrs. L. D. Whiteker.

The Junior Atlantic club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Merrick, 1522 College avenue at 3 o'clock.

Fashion Letter

Written for The Topeka State Journal By MARGARET ROHE

A scarlet lotus, purple tipped. Some cattails mauve and pink. You see in yonder copper jar. If it were not an arid land. You'd had a bit to drink.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 3.—Pelet Burgess's statement "I never saw a purple cow" will soon be trembling for its verity. Just as soon as some of the millionaires ranch owner calls on a Frisco interior decorator to design him something soulful and artistic in a model dairy interior, I fell sure old Jossy will be seized upon without a speck of compunction and tinted up to match the prevailing color scheme. At present, the artists seem to be confining their artistic efforts to the vegetable kingdom, but it is only a question of days and inspiration when nature's tints on fish, flesh and fowl will be touched up to meet the requirements of 1919 interior decoration.

What they have done already to the lilies of the pond, the thistles of the field and the cattails of the swamp is a riot in color combinations. It is just human nature to be surprised by a bounteous supply of anything, and therefore to try and change, improve upon or make it different. For this reason, it isn't a bit odd to find California, that paradise of the habit of the new uncantry dried and colorfully tinted floral tributes that catch the startled eye in the fascinating art shops of San Francisco.

The Japanese lotus lends itself most beautifully to this ultra treatment. And, after the drying process, which keeps the buds and seeds intact and the leaves in artistically curled-up postures, oil paint, in two tones of ultramarine turquoise and mauve, orange and smoke blue, grey and temple red are applied over their entire surface at the discretion of the artist. The finished effect, the a bit weird, is really mighty decorative and attractive. It is a pity the lotus flower also cannot be dried intact, but it is too fragile to survive the ordeal. Two buds, two leaves and two seed pods make up each order, and they can be done in any two tints that the purchaser desires.

The cattails and thistles are treated in a similar manner. By painting the lily and gliding the rose, other freak vegetable matter au naturel is resorted to for unusual decorative effects. The building blossom of the date palm, which is like a branch of exquisite pink coral dotted with tiny oval brown nodules, is fantastically beautiful effect in a shallow bowl of bronze or iridescent glass.

Sprays of scarlet and orange pepper berries and the graceful pepper trees of California, but the burny, bitey little ones right out of the garden are so effective, jutting out of the glass and shallow dish of black glass.

Odd shaped little gourds, yellow orange or striped in green and white, are used themselves decoratively in the drawing room instead of the garden patch, and even the lowly carrot adds to vivid and feathery green topped orange red to the embellishment of the house interior nowadays, rather than the human interior.

offer a logical solution as to what shall be done with the excess crop now that they can't offer any other stronger solution. If this sort of thing keeps up it will take an expert and a master mind to make a nice distinction between a nosegay and a salad.

Dr. D. P. Cook is head. Clay Center, Kan., Oct. 4.—Dr. D. P. Cook, a physician in Clay Center for more than forty years, died at his home here Thursday night, after a few days' illness. He has been in ill health, however, for about a year. He was the father of Prof. R. R. Cook, principal of the Topeka high school.

STOCK MEN MEET

Kansas Raisers Discuss Future of Cattle Industry.

Regulation of Shipments Chief Topic of Discussion.

Emporia, Kan., Oct. 4.—Important matters pertaining to the future of the livestock industry in Kansas will be discussed here today by members of the executive committee of the Kansas Livestock association and prominent cattlemen of the state. There are 150 members on the committee. Secretary J. H. Mercer, who acted as secretary of the "emergency committee" of thirty-four who recently went to Chicago and Washington in the effort to obtain federal aid in stabilizing the livestock market, which at present is said to be spelling financial ruin to many Kansas cattlemen, will read his report. Former Gov. W. R. Stubbs, of Lawrence, who was chairman of the committee that went to Washington, will discuss results of the mission.

"The principal matter to be discussed," said Secretary Mercer, "will be that of regulating the shipment of cattle to market. This has been under consideration of the Kansas Livestock association for some time and we believe that it can be worked out in a manner that will tend to relieve the general conditions confronting the cattle producers in that it will prevent congestion of the markets on one day and leave them under supplied at other times."

"We have received assurance from the railroad administration that it is ready to give due consideration of our plans and we believe it will be able to help us a lot. The plan, in brief, is to regulate the shipments by regulating the allotment of cars. It calls for the co-operation of the railroads and the cattlemen."

The proposal of the establishment of retail markets by the association to demonstrate that, with current wholesale prices, the retail price to the consumer should be lower, also probably will be taken up at today's meeting, it was said.

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